

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Customer Number: 20277
Ryouichi SHIMOI, et al. : Confirmation Number: 6538
Application No.: 10/552,260 :
Filed: October 05, 2005 : Group Art Unit: 1795
For: FUEL CELL ASSEMBLY AND FUEL CELL SYSTEM :
Examiner: PARSONS, Thomas H.

AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action dated October 30, 2007 having a three-month shortened period for response set to expire January 30, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 2 of this paper. This listing of claims replaces all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.